

REMARKS

In the restriction requirement mailed May 18, 2006, the Examiner required restriction to one of three groups designated A, B and C under 35 U.S.C. § 121.

Applicants elect group A without traverse.

The Examiner further imposes a restriction between SEQ ID NOS: 1, 3, 5 and 9. Applicants elect SEQ ID NO:1 but traverse on the basis that MPEP 2435 provides that in most cases up to ten sequences will be examined. In the present case, SEQ ID NOS. 1, 3, 5 and 9 are splice variants of the same gene and should be examined together.

The Examiner further imposes a restriction between SEQ ID NOS: 2, 4, 6 and 10. Applicants select SEQ ID NO:2 but traverse for analogous reasons to those discussed above.

The Examiner further imposes a species election between PSD95, DLG1 and neDLG. Applicants elect DLG1 without traverse. All elected claims read on the elected species.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 650/326-2400.

Respectfully submitted,



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